## HONORABLE RONALD B. LEIGHTON 2 3 4 5 6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON 7 AT TACOMA 8 CALVIN MALONE, CASE NO. C15-5552RBL 9 Plaintiff, ORDER 10 v. 11 LESLIE SZIEBERT, 12 Defendant. 13 14 THIS MATTER is before the Court on Magistrate Judge Christel's Report and 15 Recommendation [Dkt. # 126]. Judge Christel recommends the Court deny Malone's Motion for 16 Summary Judgment [Dkt. # 112], and grant Defendant Sziebert's Motion for Summary Judgment 17 [Dkt. #118]. The Court has also reviewed Malone's Objections [Dkt. #127] to the R&R. 18 1. The Report and Recommendation is **ADOPTED**; 19 2. Malone's Motion for Summary Judgment is **DENIED**; 20 3. Sziebert's Motion for Summary Judgment is **GRANTED** and Malone's claims are 21 **DISMISSED** with prejudice; 22 4. Any other pending motions are **DENIED** as moot; 23 5. Malone is proceeding *in forma pauperis*, and his IFP status **WILL** continue if he appeals; 24

6. The Clerk shall send copies of this Order to the Sziebert's counsel, to Malone's last known address, and to Magistrate Judge Christel. IT IS SO ORDERED. Dated this 15<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2019. Ronald B. Leighton United States District Judge